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Sir:

Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for allowance of this application. In reviewing the above-captioned application file, the undersigned has noted that Applicants' PTO Form SB/08 submitted with their Information Disclosure Statement on December 2, 2002 has not been acknowledged by the Patent and Trademark Office.

The Patent and Trademark Office is, therefore, requested to return the initialed form to the undersigned as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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